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Family Readiness Group
Pre-Deployment Training VII

April 18-19, 2005

Agenda

1. Welcome and Calendar Review – S3, MAJ Bateman

2. Panel Discussion – LTC Brown and Felicia Jackson, Garrison; COL Nishimura, MEDDAC; LTC Hynson, DENTAC; Housing and Transportation; TriCare; ACS; Red Cross

3. Closing Comments and Upcoming Events – LTC Wuestner

Calendar Update

April through August 2005

Discussion Panel

Ground Rules

1. No personal grievances.

2. Focus your questions: no generalized points-of-content

3. Don’t argue with the panel members.

Rear Detachment during JRTC

1. Assist Families to be self reliant, informed and fulfilled.

2. Maintain the remaining Property, Facilities and Equipment.

3. Maintain the general administrative functions of the battalion.

4. Set the conditions for successful redeployment, recovery and future operations.

5. Continue to process ARD requests and assist family members in every way possible.

6. Conduct wellness calls to all families.

FRG Activities

1. Easter Party – A Great Success!

2. 14-16 June – FRG-PDT for Children.

    - 14th – Under 5 years
    - 15th – 6 – 11 years old
    - 16th – 12 -18 years old

3. 18 June – Midnight Sun Run and Howitzer Pull.

4. 10 June – Soldier Appreciation Day.

5. 17-18 June – BSRF.

FRG Activities

1. 25 June -11 July – Battalion Block Leave.

2. 15 July – Bring Your Children to Work Day.

3. 18-21 July – Family Deployment Readiness Interviews with Battery Commanders.

4. 22 July – Battalion Organization Day.

5. 28 July – Deployment Ceremony.

6. 4 August, 1200 – Battalion Golf Tournament.

7. 18 August – 1st Day of School.

Closing Comments